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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Misako SUWA, et al.

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Examiner: Marcin Filipczyk

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on November 8, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

**A Request for Continued Examination is submitted herewith.**